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Re: New U.S. Patent Appln.
Our Ref: 095309.53251US

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

Henning OSTERWALD

entitled: **Internal Combustion Engine With An Exhaust Gas
Turbocharger And An Exhaust Gas Recirculation Device
And Method Of Operating Same**

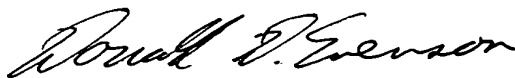
Enclosed are:

1. Specification, including thirty (30) claims (pages 1-19).
2. Two (2) sheets of formal drawings showing Figs. 1-2.
3. An Application Data Sheet (One (1) page).
4. An Information Disclosure Statement including Form PTO-1449 w/two (2) cited references.
5. The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

Basic Fee						\$385/770	=	\$770.00
Total Claims	<u>30</u>	-	20	=	<u>10</u>	x	\$9/18	= \$180.00
Independent Claims	<u>2</u>	-	3	=	<u>0</u>	x	\$43/86	= \$ 0.00
Multiple Dependent Claim Presented						\$140/280	=	\$
Total Filing Fee								<u>\$950.00</u>

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Respectfully submitted,



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